## **Appendix F: RONS Lists**

## **Litchfield Wetland Management District**

RONS No.	Title	First Year Cost	Recurring Base (\$000)
00042	Enhance Wetland Management District Biological Program (biologist)	139	74
00101	Improve upkeep of wildlife management and public use facilities	74	74
00061	Enhance Wetland Management District management program	60	27
00046	Purchase tools and equipment for maintenance of Refuge equipment	105	7
00027	Purchase three native grass drills	52	
00102	Restore wetlands on newly acquired lands	38	
00047	Initiate education, outreach, and volunteer programs (education specialist)	118	53
00020	Construct parking lots to eliminate safety hazards to refuge visitors	254	11
00045	Construct maintenance/storage facility for Service owned equipment	178	15
00022	Clean up hazardous building sites on Refuge (WPA) lands	173	10
00015	Improve station safety and security of station supplies and buildings	29	2
00007	Upgrade Prescribed Fire Management	149	3
00017	Restore backlog of restorable wetlands on refuge lands	89	
00028	Purchase environmental education materials	28	
00025	Reestablish native prairie ecosystem on 1,000 refuge acres	210	
00008	Control invading species in grasslands	162	
00100	Detect and eliminate habitat destruction and unauthorized uses on Refuge lands	50	
00029	Hire Interpretive Specialist/Volunteer Coordinator	141	76
00044	Control exotic thistle species 135 10		
98015	Improve detection of violations on Refuge and Easement lands	26	
00001	Develop baseline Refuge habitat data for Geographic Information System	171	76
00004	Convert former crop land to Tallgrass Prairie habitat	184	35
00026	Erect 1,000 mallard nest structures	149	11
00002	Restore wetlands on newly acquired lands	43	40
97026	Detect and eliminate habitat destruction and unauthorized uses on Refuge lands	136	64
00037	Inventory Refuge plant and wildlife resources	108	
00011	Increase cooperative wildfire suppression	56	23
00034	Provide equipment for waterfowl census	42	
00009	Coordinate FWS activities with ecosystem partners	141	76
00099	Enhanced wetland easement enforcement program	20	20
00013	Develop and conduct hydrological monitoring and assessment on District lands	141	76
00030	Improve public recognition and support through placement of professional displays in public buildings	93	11
00036	Conduct wildlife and habitat surveys and censuses	130	260
00021	Construct parking lots on McLeod, Renville, and Todd County refuges (WPAs)	60	6
00005	Large wetland restoration partnerships	139	64
00018	Construct visitor parking lots on Kandiyohi County refuges (WPAs)	187	23
00006	Expand private lands prairie restoration1	97	47
00031	Develop prairie wetlands wildlife trail1	51	10
00019	Construct visitor parking lots on Stearns County refuges (WPAs)	178	15

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ring No.		Year Cost	Base (\$000)
00035	Construct boundary fences on six Wright County Waterfowl	43	
	Production Areas		
00012	Survey cultural resources on the WMD	60	25
00002	Enhance biological monitoring	221	91
00014	Develop facilities for priority public uses	160	10
00024	Comply with state and federal noxious weed laws	49	